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Mail Stop Amendment
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 The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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Total	* 16	-	** 20	=	0	X50	0
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TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE:							0
Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136(a)							120.00
Request for Continued Examination (RCE)							
TOTAL FEE:							520.00

- Charge \$ 520.00 to Deposit Account No. 13-3577. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
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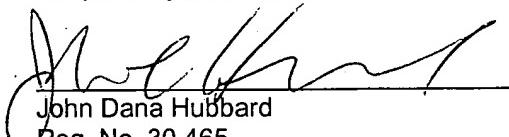
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RESPONSE

In response to the Office Action dated April 15, 2008 please amend the above-identified application as follows:

[] Amendments to the Specification begin on Page ___ of this paper:

[X] Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on Page 2 of this paper.

[] Amendments to the Drawings begins on Page ___ of this paper.

[X] Remarks/Argument begin on Page 5 of this paper.

[] An Appendix including the proposed drawing correction is attached following Page ___ of this paper.